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Sir:

For:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time of three months, extending the time for responding to the Office Action of February 2, 2000, from May 2, 2000 to August 2, 2000.

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